Regarding Haiti. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1996

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

## Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, to hold hearings on S. 1166, to improve the registration of pesticides, to provide minor use crop protection, and to improve pesticide tolerances to safeguard infants and children, 1 p.m., SR–328A.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space, to hold hearings on S. 1726, to promote electronic commerce by facilitating the use of strong encryption, 9:30 a.m., SR–253.

Committee on Finance, business meeting, to mark up H.R. 3286, to help families defray adoption costs, and to promote the adoption of minority children, and provisions of H.R. 3448, to provide tax relief for small businesses, to protect jobs, to create opportunities, and to increase the take home pay of workers, 11 a.m., SD–215.

Select Committee on Intelligence, to hold closed hearings on intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH–219.

## House

Committee on Appropriations: to consider the Interior appropriations for fiscal year 1997, 8:30 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to mark up appropriations for fiscal year 1997, 3 p.m., 2358 Rayburn.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities and Government Sponsored Enterprises, hearing on the Privatization of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, hearing on the GAO Report on the Department of Energy's Strategic Alignment and Downsizing Initiative, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, to continue hearings on the Department of Energy: Travel Expenditures and Related Issues, 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, to mark up Welfare Reform, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, hearing on Blue Plains, 9 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice, hearing on oversight of Federal Drug Interdiction Efforts in Mexico: Review of a Rising National Security Threat, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, hearing on Developments in the Middle East, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, to continue markup of H.R. 3396, Defense of Marriage Act, 9:30 a.m., 2141 Ray-

Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims, hearing on H.R. 2587, War Crimes Act of 1995, 1 p.m., 2237 Rayburn

Committee on Resources, Subcommittee on Native American and Insular Affairs, to mark up H.R. 3024, United States-Puerto Rico Political Status Act, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

Committee on Rules, to consider H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, 12 noon, H–313 Capitol.

Committee on Science, Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing on U.S. Space Launch Strategy, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation, oversight hearing on the impact of U.S. coastwide trade laws on the transportation system in the United States, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Compensation, Pension, Insurance and Memorial Affairs and the Subcommittee on Education, Training, Employment and Housing, joint hearing on customer service standards at the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Veterans' Employment and Training Service, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means,* to mark up budget reconciliation welfare recommendations, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, executive briefing on Russian Presidential Elections, 12 noon, H–405 Rayburn.